# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# RAILWAYS
# LOK SABHA

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DEVELOPMENT OF WESTERN CORRIDOR
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

(a) Whether the Railways propose to develop western corridor from Jawahar Lal Nehru Port Trust (JNPT) to Delhi via Vadodara − Ahmedabad − Palanpur − Jaipur − Delhi; and

(b) If so, the details thereof?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

(a) & (b): Western Corridor of Dedicated Railway Freight Corridor Project has been sanctioned in Rail Budget 2006-07. The Corridor will start from Jawaharlal Nehru Port and will be routed via Vadodara, Ahmedabad, Palanpur and Rewari to Tuglakabad and Dadri. This Corridor will carry mostly container traffic. The cost of Western Corridor is estimated as Rs. 11,446 crores.